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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL

LONDON.—F. ALGAR, 8, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, GEORGE STREET, 30, Cornhill, GORDON & GOTCH, Ludgate Circus, E. C. BATES, HENDY & CO., 4, Old Jewry, E. C. SAMUEL DRAGON & CO., 160 & 164, Leadenhall Street.

NEW YORK.—ANDREW WIND, 183, Nassau Street.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND.—GORDON & GOTCH, Melbourne and Sydney.

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally.—BEAN & BLACK, San Francisco.

CHINA.—Swallow, QUELTON & CAMPBELL, AMY, WILSON, NICKOLLS & CO., Foochow, HENRY & CO., Shanghai, LANE, CRAWFORD & CO., and KELLY & WALKER, Manila, O. HIRSCHFELD & CO., Macao, L. A. DA GRACIA.

BANKS.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$5,000,000 Dollars. RESERVE FUND, 500,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman—H. HOPFUS, Esq. Deputy Chairman—F. D. SASCOON, Esq.

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CHINE MANAGER. Thomas JACKSON, Esq. Manager.

Shanghai, E. WEN CAMERON, Esq. LONDON BANKERS.—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

On Fixed Deposits:—

For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum. " 6 " 4 per cent. " " 12 " 5 per cent. " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Office of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, March 29, 1877.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA & CHINA.

CAPITAL, £800,000. RESERVE FUND, £110,000.

BANKERS.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.

THE CITY BANK.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

THE BANK'S BRANCH in HONGKONG grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange; and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Business.

Local Bills discounted, and Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Deposits for fixed periods on terms which may be ascertained on application.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

MR. WILHELM CARL ENGEL-BRECHT von PUSTAU, Junior, and Mr. CONRAD MUNROE DONNER, have been admitted Partners in our Firm from the First of January, 1877.

WDL PUSTAU & Co., Hongkong, April 16, 1877.

NOTICE.

FROM this Date Mr. EDWARD SHEPPARD and Mr. M. W. GREEN, are authorized to sign the name of our Firm per Procuratum at Foochow, and Mr. F. E. EWELL at Amoy.

RUSSELL & Co., China, June 1, 1877.

NOTICE.

MR. F. C. DITTMER is authorized to sign our Firm per Procuratum.

SANDER & Co., Hongkong, June 22, 1877.

NOTICE.

MR. EDWARD BURKE will conduct the business of my Office, during my temporary absence from the Colony.

R. H. CAIRNS, Surveyor to Local Offices, and Lloyd's Register of Shipping, 2, Club Chambers, Hongkong, March 17, 1877.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned has been Appointed AGENT at this Port for THE POSITIVE GOVERNMENT SECURITY LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED).

W. H. NOTLEY, Hongkong, June 6, 1877.

NOTICE.

B Y Mutual Consent, the Firm of FREEKERS, RODATZ & CO. has been DISSOLVED, on this Day.

R. FREEKERS, G. O. F. RODATZ, Hongkong, June 30, 1877.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned, Establishing themselves This Day as SHIPHANDLERS and GENERAL STOREKEEPERS under the Style and Firm of RODATZ & CO. will take over the Business of the late Firm of FREEKERS, RODATZ & CO.

G. O. F. RODATZ, C. KOCH, Hongkong, July 2, 1877.

NOTICE.

I HAVE This Day Established myself as SHIPBROKER.

ROBERT DROSS, Hongkong, June 25, 1877.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from W. H. MOSSE, Esq., Marshal of the Vice-Admiralty Court of Hongkong, to sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY,

the 9th day of July, 1877, at Noon, on Board,

The American Barkentine "ROSINA,"

Of 406 Tons Register or thereabouts, as she now lies in the Harbour of Hongkong, with Two Suits of Working SAILS, One Suit NEW SAILS, 1,500 superficial feet LUMBER, PROVISIONS, CHAINS, ANCHORS, BOATS, and all her Appurtenances.

The Vessel was Remasted and Repaired in NEW YORK, in December, 1874, and there classed "A1", for Four Years in American Lloyds. She was again Relasted and Repaired at MELBOURNE, in November, 1876, at a Cost of about £1,000 and supplied with the New Suit of Sails referred to at a Cost of over £200, and was then certified by the Surveyor to the Merchant Shipping and Underwriters Association Limited, as being fit to Carry Dry and Perishable Cargo to any part of the World. She Carries 580 tons of Coals or 800 tons Light Cargo of 40 cubic feet, 9,000 piculs of Rice on 14 feet Draft. She is a fast Sailing Vessel, and is in Complete Order for Sea on the shortest notice.

She has Four BOW TIMBER PORTS, two in the Lower Hold 32 x 32 inches, and two in the Tween Decks 40 x 28 inches.

For further Particulars and Inventory, apply to the Undersigned.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on the fall of the hammer in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.17.

The Vessel to be at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Government Auctioneer, Hongkong, June 18, 1877.

SPANISH CONSULATE.

TO be SOLD by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Offices of the Marine Department, Manila, on the 6th day of September next, at 10 o'clock A.M., the Spanish War Vessel "BERENGUELA" and "CIRCE" (declared by the Government "useless for further service").

Conditions of Sale, Inventory, Form of Tender, and all other Particulars respecting the above, can be obtained at the Consulate.

The upset Price of the Vessels will be for the

Brigate "BERENGUELA" ... \$20,926.98

Corvette "CIRCE" ... \$ 5,278.27

and no offer will be received which does not exceed these amounts.

A. FARAUJO, Consul for Spain, Hongkong, June 12, 1877.

NOTICE.

CUTLER, PALMER & Co., Celebrated

Brands of WINES and SPIRITS.

App'd to SIEMSEN & Co., Hongkong, June 22, 1876.

NOTICE.

A POLLINARI'S WATER, in Case of

50 Large Stone Bottles, 69 per Case.

WIELER & Co., Hongkong, July 6, 1877.

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

FENG-SHUI, or THE BUDHIMATS OF NATIONAL SCIENCE IN CHINA, By Dr. E. J. KELLY, One Volume, Svo. Price, \$1.50.

BUDDHISM, ITS HISTORY, THEORIES and POPULAR RELIGION, in three Lectures By Dr. E. J. KELLY, Second Edition. One Volume, Svo. Price, \$1.50.

Orders will be received by Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, July 21, 1877.

FOR READY.

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THE BUDHIMATS OF NATIONAL SCIENCE IN CHINA, By Dr. E. J. KELLY, Second Edition. One Volume, Svo. Price, \$1.50.

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## Notices to Consignees.

S. S. GLENFALLOCH,  
FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk and stored by the Undersigned in their Godowns, whence and/or from the Wharf or Boats delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded to Shanghai, unless notice to the contrary is given before 3 p.m. To-day.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 9th instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, July 2, 1877. jy14

NOTICE TO CONSIGNNEES.

THE AMERICAN SHIP LEADING WIND, FROM ANTWERP.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

MEYER & CO.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, July 2, 1877. jy19

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S. S. Venice having arrived, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature to the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,  
Hongkong, July 3, 1877. jy10

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamer *Arratoon Apoor*, Captain J. MACLAFFIE, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & CO.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, July 3, 1877. jy10

BARQUE CHINAMAN, FROM LONDON.

THIS Vessel having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, May 21, 1877.

## Intimations.

## Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be responsible for any Debts contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour:—

ROBINA, American 3-m. schooner, Capt. C. W. Hansen.—Arnold, Karberg & Co.

HANNAH LAW, British ship, Captain R. Greig.—P. & O. S. N. Co.

HIRONIMUS, British brig, Capt. T. A. Koch.—Landed & Co.

ROBERT HENDERSON, British barque, Capt. John J. Gunn.—Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.

BROWN BROTHERS, American ship, Capt. D. S. Goodell.—P. & O. S. N. Co.

MATCHLESS, American ship, Capt. John C. Dawes.—Douglas Lapraik & Co.

VISCOUNT MACDOUGAL, British 3-m. schooner, Capt. Wm. Wright.—Borneo Co., Limited.

COEDNE, British barque, Captain Wm. Robertson.—Wieland & Co.

JOTUN, Norwegian ship, Capt. P. Haufl.

MELCHERS & CO.

LEADING WIND, American ship, Captain F. M. Hinckley.—Meyer & Co.

CHARLOTTE ANDREWS, British barque, Captain George Place.—Rozario & Co.

LOUISA, German 3-m. schooner, Captain H. Schierloh.—E. Schellhass & Co.

JALO, Russian ship, Capt. C. F. Noberg.—Order.

MARIE LOUISE, German barque, Captain D. Davidson.—Wm. Pustat & Co.

NAY, British 3-m. schooner, Captain L. Plumley.—Olyphant & Co.

ANNIE C. BAIL, American 3-m. schooner, Captain C. H. Nelson.—Douglas Lapraik & Co.

## NEARLY READY.

## THE CHINA REVIEW.

Vol. V, No. 6.

China Mail Office,  
Hongkong, July 6, 1877.

## To-day's Advertisements.

## FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

The Steamship

"VENICE,"

Capt. Rhode, will leave for

the above Ports on SATUR-

DAY, the 14th instant, at 3 p.m.

Despatches will close at 2.30 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,  
Hongkong, July 6, 1877. jy14

## FOR YOKOHAMA &amp; HIOGO.

The Steamship

"LORENE,"

due immediately from Lon-

don and SINGAPORE, will

receive prompt despatch as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, July 6, 1877. jy13

## To-day's Advertisements.

## FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

The British Steamship

"ARRATOON APOOR,"

Capt. A. B. MACLAFFIE,

will leave for the above

Ports on SATURDAY Next, the 14th Inst.,

at 3 p.m.

Despatches will close at 2.30 p.m.

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Agents.

Hongkong, July 6, 1877. jy14

## SHIPPING.

## ARRIVALS.

July 5, Isles of the South, British ship,

220, *Dennet*, Cardiff March 5, Coal.—

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO.

July 5, *Fugitive*, British barque, 471, J.

W. Balfour, Newcastle (N.S.W.) May 31,

Coal.—RUSSELL & CO.

Hongkong, July 6, 1877. jy14

## POST OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.

## MAILS will close:—

FOR STRAITS SETTLEMENTS AND CALCUTTA.

For VENICE and ARKATOO AP-

OAR, at 2.30 p.m., on Saturday,

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## Mails.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES  
MARITIMES.  
PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR  
SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,  
POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ,  
ISMAILA, PORT SAID, NAPLES,  
AND MARSEILLES;  
ALSO,  
BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS, AND  
PORT LOUIS.

ON SATURDAY, the 7th July, 1877, at Noon, the Company's S. S. *HOGGY*, Commandant REYNIER, with MAILED, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 6th July, 1877. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)

Contents and value of Packages are required.

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

H. DU POUEY,  
Agent.

Hongkong, June 26, 1877.

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## STEAM FOR

Singapore, Penang, Point de Galle, Aden, Suez, Malta, Brindisi, Ancona, Venice, Mediterranean Ports, Southampton, and London,  
ALSO,  
Bombay, Madras, and Calcutta.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship *CATHAY*, Captain DUNDAS, will leave this on SATURDAY, the 14th July, at Noon.

For further Particulars, apply to  
A. LIND, Superintendent.

Hongkong, July 2, 1877.

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Occidental & Oriental Steam-  
Ship Company.

TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND  
PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED  
STATES AND EUROPE,  
IN CONNECTION WITH THE  
CENTRAL  
and  
UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING  
RAILROAD COMPANIES  
AND  
ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

THE S. S. "GAELIC" will be despatched for San Francisco via Yokohama, on TUESDAY, the 17th July, at 2 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for Japan, the United States and Europe.

Connection is made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shanghai.

Freight will be received on Board until 4 p.m. of the 16th July. PARCEL PACKAGES will be received at the Office until 5 p.m. same day: all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required.

Return Passage Tickets available for 6 months are issued at a reduction of 20 per cent on regular rates.

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central.

G. B. EMORY, Agent.

Hongkong, July 5, 1877.

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## To Let.

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THE Dwelling House and Office No. 1, D'Aguilar Street, lately in the occupation of Messrs DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO.

The Dwelling House No. 1, Alexandra Terrace, Possession from the 1st June next.

The Dwelling House No. 6, Gough Street, Possession from the 1st July next.

The Dwelling House No. 10, Gough Street, Possession from 1st August next.

Apply to  
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO.

Hongkong, May 16, 1877.

## TO LET.

HOUSE No. 8 and 9, Seymour Terrace, House No. 10, Albany Road, lately occupied by the Rev. R. H. KEMP, "Blance Villa," Fok-foo-jun, Furnished.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & CO.

Hongkong, February 16, 1877.

## TO LET.

THE Premises No. 89, Queen's Road, lately in the occupation of THE BORZO COMPANY, LIMITED.

Apply to  
ROBERT MORE.

Hongkong, July 8, 1877.

## TO BE LET.

THE Premises No. 89, Queen's Road, lately in the occupation of THE BORZO COMPANY, LIMITED.

Apply to  
TURNER & CO.

Hongkong, May 10, 1877.

## Insurances.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.  
HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

A GENOLES at all the Treaty Posts of China and Japan, and at Singapore, Saigon and Fuzhou.

Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance granted at the rates of Premium current at the above mentioned Ports.

NO CHARGE FOR POLICY FEES.

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, November 1, 1877.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Coals in Mashed, on Goods on board Vessels, and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.

Proposals for Lite Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to  
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO.  
Agents Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1877.

A. MCIVER,  
Agent of the Marine Insurance Co. of London.

Hongkong, February 16, 1877.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates.

MELCHERS & CO.,  
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.

CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY.  
(LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

POLICIES granted at current rates on Marine Risks to all parts of the World. In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, Two Thirds of the Profits are distributed annually to Contributors, whether Shareholders or not, in proportion to the net amount of Premium contributed by each, the remaining third being carried to Reserve Fund.

OLYPHANT & CO.,  
General Agents.

Hongkong, April 17, 1877.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE to the extent of £50,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein, at current local rates, subject to a Discount of 20% on the Premium.

NORTON & CO.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, January 1, 1877.

OLYPHANT & CO.

GENERAL AGENTS.

Hongkong, April 17, 1877.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL £100,000, EQUAL TO  
555,555 £100.

Directors.

LEE SING, of the Lai Hing Firm.

CHAN SHUNG LAI, of the Lai Yuen Firm.

WONG YIK PUN, of the Chun Cheong Wing Hong.

LEE YEE, of the Yee On Firm.

FONG SOY FUNG, of the Tung Sang Wo Hong.

WONG PAK CHEONG, of the San Tye Lee Hong.

FUNG PONG, of the Wy Sing Firm.

Manager—HO AMEL.

Hongkong, June 1, 1877.

INTIMATIONS.

NOW Ready.

"THE CHINA REVIEW,"

No. 5, Vol. V.

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